

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please substitute the following paragraph beginning on Page 7, line 27 and ending on Page 8, line 3 of the Application-as-filed with the following replacement paragraph:

Example 2

500 g of 85 % strength isopropanol were placed in a temperature-controllable stirred vessel. To this were added 250 g of a solvent-moist ~~hexylethylcellulose~~ hydroxyethylcellulose (HEC) (approximately 100 g of dry matter) and distributed homogeneously using a high-speed stirrer. To this mixture were then added 1.9 g of glyoxylic acid (50 % strength), a pH of 4.5 being established. The suspension was mixed intensively and then filtered by suction via a filter funnel.